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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 3 November 1966

ADD/I called attention to the new publication covers for the PDB and the daily Vietnam situation memorandum and noted the classification legend on the front.

Godfrey raised the problem of PDB distribution in light of a request from the NMCC. (See Action 1)

In reply to the Director's question at yesterday's Morning Meeting, Godfrey reported that Admiral Fluckey's office had been quite forthcoming in providing details [redacted] 25X1
25X1 [redacted] ONI will go back to the source for further details.

Godfrey briefed on the 3 November Red Guard rally and answered questions on the Navy's mode of operations north of the DMZ.

Kent said that General Carroll might table minor dissents at USIB on SNIE 13-8. He gave the Director updated copies of SNIE 13-8 and NIE 11-14. He raised the problem of concurrence footnotes on Agency nonperiodic publications. The Director said that, as a guideline, he will when necessary adjudicate intra-Agency differences to effect concurrence.

DD/S reported that [redacted] was briefed yesterday and that 25X1
the appropriate stations were informed. He reported that [redacted] 25X1
25X1 [redacted] would not be prepared to take over [redacted] routes for some time. 25X1

George Allen raised the subject of the new pacification criteria. The Director said that Secretary McNamara wishes to begin testing this plan on a pilot basis as soon as possible and that, accordingly, SAVA should get on with whatever further preparations are necessary.

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Houston reported that Congressman Teague's office was contacted and that no further response is necessary to his letter asking the Director for comments on correspondence received from a constituent. He noted that the Agency had been able to furnish satisfactory answers to certain questions from Congressman Moss's office.

Houston mentioned that Congressman Rivers will be in town tomorrow but that we have little reason to brief him at the moment. The Director suggested that, in contacting Congressman Rivers, we treat the possibility of briefing him in low key.

Houston reported that the Executive Director of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy has questioned the adequacy of the Agency's procedures for alerting the Committee on foreign nuclear events. The Director said that he will discuss this with Chairman Holifield on his return.

Bross reported that Pat Coyne has expressed a desire for written reports on intelligence gaps and deficiencies in the Latin American area for Ambassador Murphy and Admiral Sides. (See Action 2)

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DD/P called attention to a State cable from Cairo.

ACTIONS:

1. The Director asked Godfrey to look into the distribution of the PDB in the Pentagon and to report his findings at the Morning Meeting. (D/OCI by 8 November)

2. The Director asked Bross to call Ambassador Murphy and examine with him the feasibility of oral briefings.

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